

MID DAY MEAL SCHEME – SOUTH WEST KHASI HILLS DISTRICT

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Purpose of inspection:- The intention of conducting physical inspection is mainly to get a correct information on the actual implementation of Mid Day Meal based on ground realities.

Date of Inspection: 6th May 2014

Team of inspection Officers: Km M. Nengnong, RO/ Shri N. R. Kharchandy, RO/
Km B. Nongtraw, RA

Name of School: Flower Buds Upper Primary School

Village: Mawranglang Laikyntoit Village

Location: Mawkyrwat C & RD Block, South West Khasi Hills District

Enrollment: 2 students in Class VI only

Drop out: Nil

Meal items	No of days distributed in a week	Cooked meal	Uncooked Meal	Kitchen Shed	Cook	Salary of Cook
Rice and vegetables	Once a week	Cooked meal	Nil	Constructed. Kitchen utensils provided	1 Cook	Rs.1,000/- per month.

OBSERVATION – MID DAY MEAL

The problem in the distribution of Mid Day Meal is that the Management has to provide food for L.P. students from Pre-primary to Class V which are in large number in addition to the students of upper primary even though separate quota has been allotted for L.P. school. Moreover, collection of rice has to be arranged by the management with the wholesaler.

SUGGESTION:

The management has to take all necessary steps to ensure regular distribution of mid day meal.



Kitchen shed and utensils for Mid Day Meal



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Name of School: Lisa Upper Primary School, (Non-government).

Village: Nongmawlein, Mawranglang Village

Location: Mawkyrwat C & RD Block, South West Khasi Hills District

Enrollment: 25 students

Drop out: Nil

Meal items	No of days distributed in a week	Cooked meal	Uncooked Meal	Kitchen Shed	Cook	Salary of Cook
Rice and vegetables	3 days a week	Cooked meal	Nil	Constructed. Kitchen utensils provided	1 Cook	Rs.1,000/- per month.

OBSERVATION – MID DAY MEAL

The management face difficulty in providing mid day meal for all five days in a week as the students are reluctant to have meal without meat curry which is not permissible within the norm of mid day meal. Therefore, the management has to make efforts to provide meals only three days a week.

SUGGESTION:

Proper understanding needs to be given to the children that mid day meal are provided only with rice and vegetables and not with meat.



Kitchen shed cum store room under Mid Day Meal Scheme.



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Name of School: Eitser Presbyterian Upper Primary School.

Village: Mawlangwir Village

Location: Mawkyrwat C & RD Block, South West Khasi Hills District

Enrollment: 16 Students

Drop out: Nil

Meal items	No of days distributed in a week	Cooked meal	Uncooked Meal	Kitchen Shed	Cook	Salary of Cook
Rice and vegetables	3 days a week	Cooked meal	Nil	Constructed. Kitchen utensils provided	1 Cook	Rs.1,000/- per month.

OBSERVATION – MID DAY MEAL

The school has been facing problem in the implementation of Mid Day Meal as the supply of rice is collected only once or twice in a year depending on the supply/allotment by wholesaler/dealer. In 2014 no supply of rice has been collected due to non-release of quota. However the management has made good effort in providing mid day meals for 3 days in a week.

SUGGESTION:

The Managing Committee has to take up the matter of regular allotment of rice with the District School Education Officer Mawkyrwat.



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Km B. Nongtraw, RA

Name of School: St. Raphael Upper Primary School, Class VI-VIII

Village: Mawranglang Laikyntoit Village

Location: Mawkyrwat C & RD Block, South West Khasi Hills District

Enrollment: 40 students

Drop out: Nil

Meal items	No of days distributed in a week	Cooked meal	Uncooked Meal	Kitchen Shed	Cook	Salary of Cook
Rice and vegetables	2 – 3 days a week	Cooked meal	Nil	Constructed. Amount: Rs.60,000/- in 2010-11 Kitchen utensils provided	1 Cook	Rs.1,000/- per month.

OBSERVATION – MID DAY MEAL

Mid Day Meal is distributed according to the availability of rice. Rice is not supplied monthly but it is supplied once in every 3-4 months.

SUGGESTION:

The matter of irregular supply of rice has to be taken up with the DSEO Mawkyrwat.



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Km B. Nongtraw, RA

Name of School: Sngimietnah Presbyterian Lower Primary School

Village: Jakrem Village

Location: Mawkyrwat C & RD Block, South West Khasi Hills District

Enrollment: 65 Students

Drop out: 1 (one) student in 2013.

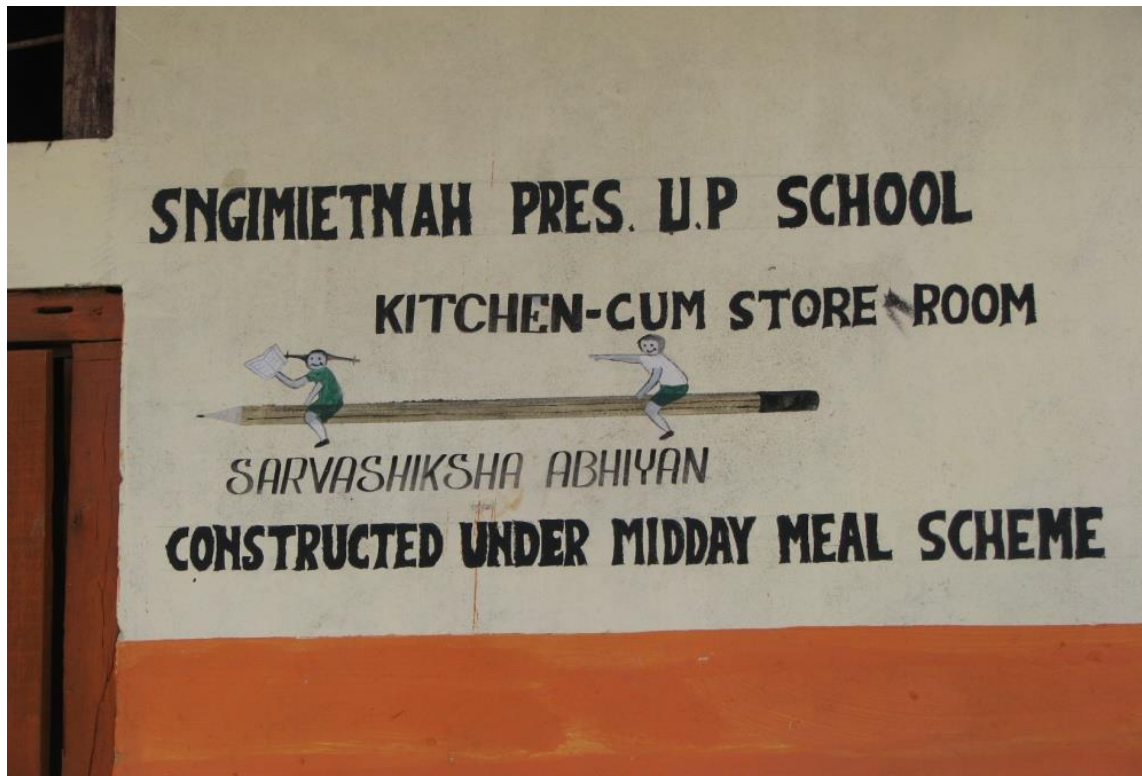
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Rice and vegetables	3 days a week	Cooked meal	Nil	Constructed. Kitchen utensils provided	1 Cook 1 Helper	Rs.1,000/- per month each.

OBSERVATION - MID DAY MEAL

The main problem in the implementation of Mid Day Meal is the irregular and inadequate supply of rice. Moreover, the rice has to be collected by the teacher from the wholesaler every time. There is a need to revise the quota of rice supplied to the school based on enrolment of students. The management needs to send the latest enrolment to the office of District School Education Officer (D.S.E.O) Mawkyrwat so as to ensure that adequate quantity of rice is supplied to the school every year.

SUGGESTION:

To pursue the matter of allotment of rice as per enrolment of students with the office of D.S.E.O.



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Village: Umjarain Village

Location: Mawkyrwat C & RD Block, South West Khasi Hills District

Enrollment: 25 Students

Drop out: Nil

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Rice and vegetables	3 days a week	Cooked meal	Nil	Constructed. Kitchen utensils provided	1 Cook.	Rs.1,000/- per month

OBSERVATION - MID DAY MEAL

The main problem in the implementation of Mid Day Meal is the irregular and inadequate supply of rice. Very often rice is supplied once in every 3 or 4 months and that also not in sufficient quantity. Moreover, no transportation cost is provided for the collection of rice from the wholesaler/dealer. For the current year 2014 rice has not yet been supplied. However, the Management is making all out effort to distribute mid day meal whenever rice is available.

SUGGESTION:

All problems related with Mid Day Meal may be brought to the notice of the District School Education Officer, Mawkyrwat so as to find out the solution.



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